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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JULY 5, 1884.

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PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON: F. ALGAB, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Combill. GORDON & Goron, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATER

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generally:—Bean & Black, San Fran-SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.:—SAYLE & Co., Square, Singapore. C. HEINSZEN & Co., Manila.

& Co. Swatow, Quelch & Co. SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIAmoy, Wilson, Nicholis & Co. MITED, will be held at the Company's
Foochow, Hedge & Co. Shanghai, Office, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 8th
Lane, Chawford & Co., and Kelly day of July, 1884, at 12 o'Glock, Noon, ford & Co.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

INSTALMENT received on New Shares.....

\$7,074,744.75 RESERVE FUND ......\$2,500,000.

Instalment of Premium re- ) 1,563,361.66 ceived on New Shares ...

\$4,063,361.66

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-A. P. McEwen, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Hon. F. D. SASSOON. C. D. BOTTOMLEY, M. GROTE, Esq. A. Gültzow, Esq. H. L. DALRYMPLE, Hon. W. KESWICK. A. McIver, Esq.

W. H. FORBES, Esq. M. E. SABSOON, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong ..... THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

MANAGER. LONDON BANKERS .- London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily

balance. For Fixed Deposits:-For 3 months, 3 per cent, per annum. 4 per cent. :: 5 per cent. .. ..

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities. Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East.

# Hongkong, April 2, 1884. Notices of Firms.

T. JACKSON.

NOTICE. WE Have this day Admitted as a cause these unsightly, irritable, painful PARTNER in our Firm Mr. WILLIAM affections, and always produces a clear, SNELL ORR. Our PARENERS now are Mr. THOMAS DEAS BOYD, Mr. EDWARD NEILSON | mists. Bottles, 2s. 9d. Made only by J.

WILLIAM SNELL ORR. BOYD & Co.

Amoy, 1st July, 1884.

# Intimations.

NOTICE.

Provisions made under a BILL of SALE dated the 15th day of April, 1884, made safest and mildest pills for every constitubetween ABRAHAM ELEAZER ABRAHAM of tion. In boxes, at 1s. 12d., 2s. 9d., and the one part and the Undersigned of the 4s. 6d. Sold by Chemists throughout the other part, I have This Day entered and world. taken possession of the Premises known as the International Printing Office,' No. 3. Hollywood Road, Hongkong, and will transact all Business from honceforth for D gies, enriches the blood, promotes Second Horse... 4,000 80 Third Horse.... 2,000 50 my own account and in my Name. Hongkong, dated the 14th day of June.

NOTICE. TOTICE is hereby given, that by the

J. S. JUDAH.

SALE dated respectively the 3rd day of doses, 4s. 6d. Sold by Chemists every-ABRAHAM ELEAZER ABRAHAM of the one London. part, and ALEXANDRE AMADOE ECA DA SILVA of the other part, and the said TARAXACUM & PODOPHYLLIN., ABRAHAM ELEAZER ARRAHAM and SOLOMON THIS fluid combination, extracted from 17, Queen's Road, Hongkong, and will transact all Business from henceforth on drowsiness, no appetite, furred tongue, dis- of any Bank, either in Sydney (N. S. Wales). our own account and in our Names. Dated the 14th day of June, 1884.

A. A. ECA DA SILVA. S. MEYERS. Per pro. N. S. MEYERS. TOORT, SIM & Co.'s PATENT ANTI

FOULING COMPOSITION as supplied to Her Majesty's Ships; The P. & O. S. N. Co. The Douglas Steamship Company:

The Japanese Government. Sole Agent, China, Japan, and Manila, EDWARD GEORGE.

Hongkong, January 31, 1884. NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

ON and after the First June next, the STORE of the Undersigned will be REMOVED to the Premises lately in the occupation of Messrs. Eq. DA SILVA & Co., No. 48, Queen's Road.

H. FOURNIER & Co., Storekeepers & Wine Merchants.

Hongkong, May 1, 1884.

Intimations.

HONGKONG STEAM LAUNDRY COM-PANY, LIMITED.

THE FIRST Annual General MEETING of the Company will be held at the Honokone Hotel on MONDAY, the 7th July next, at 3 o'Clock p.m., to receive the Report of the Directors, when a full attendance of Shareholders is requested.

WILLIAM LEGGE, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, June 24, 1884.

THE CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

ATOTICE is hereby given that an Extra-CHINA: - Macao, Messrs A. A. DE MELLO | N ordinary MEETING of the CHINA

& Walsh. Yekohama, Lane, Craw- when the following Resolution will be pro-That at the end of No. 121 of the Articles of Association, there be added the following Words, that is to say :-

Provided always that the General Agents and Consulting Committee may in their absolute discretion at any time or times and from time to time declare and pay to the Shareholders an interim Dividend of such amount as they shall think fit.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, June 27, 1884.

THE LUZON SUGAR REFINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that an Extra-ordinary MEETING of the LUZON CLOSED SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LI-MITED, will be hold at the Company's Office, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 8th day day of July, 1884, at 10 minutes after will be proposed:—
That at the end of No. 117 of the Articles

of Association, there be added the following Words, that is to say :-Provided always that the General Agents and Consulting Committee may in their absolute discretion at any time or times and from time to time dethey shall think fit.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, June 27, 1884.

WILLIAM DOLAN, SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER, 22, PRAYA CENTRAL.

MOTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS, MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN

&o., &c., &o. Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

"SULPHOLINE LOTION." A N External Means of CURING SKIN A DISEASES. There is scarcely any cruption but will yield to "Sulpholine" in a few days, and commence to fade away, even if it seems past cure. Ordinary pimples; redness, blotches, scurf, roughness, vanish as if by magic; whilst old, enduring skin disorders, that have plagued the sufferers for years, however deeply rooted they may be, "Sulpholine" will successfully attack them. It destroys the animalcula which cause these unsightly, irritable, painful

healthy, natural condition of the skin.

"Sulpholine" Lotion is sold by most Che-

ROSE, Mr. THOMAS COVIL and Mr. PEPPER & Co., London. LIVER COMPLAINTS. DR. KING'S DANDELION & QUINING LIVER PILLS (without Mercury) THE BEST REMEDY FOR BILIOUS. NESS, STOMACH DERANGEMENT. FLATULENCE, PAINS BETWEEN THE SHOULDERS, BAD APPETITE, INDI-GESTION. ACIDITY, HEADACHE, HEARTBURN, and all other symptoms of TOTICE is hereby given that by the disordered liver and dyspepsia. Acknowledged by many eminent surgeons to be the

PEPPER'S QUININE & IRON TONIC DOUSES and develops the nervous enerappetie, dispels languor and depression, fortifies the digestive organs. Is a specific remedy for neuralgia, indigestion, fevers, chest affections, and in wasting diseases. scrofulous tendencies. &c. The whole frame is greatly invigorated by Pepper's Tonic, the mental faculties brightened, the constitution greatly strengthened, and R re-Provisions made under Two Bills of turn to robust health certain. Bottles, 32 THE SYDNEY JOCKEY TURF

LOCKYER'S SULPHUR HAIR RESTORER XX/III darken grey hair, and in a few Australia.

V days completely bring back the natural colour. The effect is superior to that produced by a direct dye, and does not injure the skin. Large bottles, 1s. 6d. Lockyer's is equal to the most expensive. hair restorer.

LOCKYER'S SULPHUR HAIR RESTORER

TS the best for restoring grey hair to its II MESS, are ready to undertake Work former colour. It produces a perfectly of the above Descriptions under the Supernatural shade, and is quite harmless. Valu- vision of an Experienced European. able for destroying sourf and encouraging growth of new hair. Sold everywhere. 1my85

For Sale.

SEASON'S TEA.

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have Received their Supply of their well-known PRESENT TEA

in 5 and 10 Catty Boxes.

They are now formering the first parcel to England, and will be obliged by Orders from those who desire to have

Boxes sent to their friends.

PRICE: \$ 7.50 per 5-catty Box} delivered free to any address \$12.00, 10-catty,, 5 in the United Kingdom.

Hongkong, June 30, 1884.

NOTICE.

CAYLE & Co. beg to inform their Customers and the Public in general that in consequence of the Death of the Senior PARTNER, the BUSINESS carried on in Hongkong will be

On or before the 31st day of August Next, AND THE WHOLE OF THE

12. Noon, when the following Resolution STOCK is now offered at a REDUCTION of 25 per Cent. on the Marked Prices.

> Special terms will be made for parcels of Goods over \$100 in value purchased at one time.

All Sales from this date will be for Cash only. Customers clare and pay to the Shareholders an interim Dividend of such amount as are requested to make immediate Payment of Amounts due by them to the late Firm.

> SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, June 9, 1884.

Intimations.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

LIMITED. NOTICE.

COMMENCING on MONDAY, the 30th Instant, and until further Notice, the POWAN will run DAILY between CAN-TON and MACAO, leaving CANTON at 8 a.m., and Macao at 6 p.m.

By Order. T. ARNOLD, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, June 24, 1884. D. K. GRIFFITH

HAS OPENED HIS NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO. No. 1. Duddell Street. In rear of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.

THE NEW RAPID DRY PLATES, he is now working, are Treenty Times quicker than the Old process and make Protraiture of Children easy and certain to secure. The Studio is open daily, and Portraits are taken in any weather at Moderate Charges, while every care is taken to procure permanency of the prints.

NEW VIEWS OF HONGKONG AND THE COAST PORTS ALWAYS READY. Hongkong, May 24, 1884.

1,450 Prizes. £50,000. 1,450 Prizes. THE SYDNEY JOCKEY TURF CLUB'S MELBOURNE CUP CONSULTATION-1884.

MEMBERS £1 - - - - EACH. To be run on the Flemington Race Course, Melbourne, in November, 1884. Distribution as follows: First Horse ..... £8,000 | 10 Cash Prizes, £200 cach, £2,000

Other Starters 200 (divided) ..... 1,500 200 Non Starters 300 (divided) ..... 1,500 500 Total .....£50,000 £1,000 each ... 2,000 £500 each ..... 8,000

March. 1883, made respectively between where. Made only by J. Pepren & Co., Beg to inform the Sporting Public of China that they have made arrangements for holding a £50,000 Consultation on the forthcoming Melbourne Cup of 1884, when about 1.450 Prizes will be awarded to the MEYERS of the other part, we, the Under- imedicinal roots, is now used instead Fortunate Holders of the winning Numbers. signed have This Day entered and taken of blue pill and calomel for the cure of The Highest Prize being £8,000; and the possession of the Premises known as the dyspepsis, biliousness, and all symptoms of Lowest £10. Less 15 per cent, for ex-Novelty Store, in Marine House, No. congestion of the liver, which are generally penses. Winning Numbers can be forward. pain beneath the shoulders, headache, ed for payment or collection to the Manager agreeable tasts in the morning, giddiness, or Melbourne (Victoria). Drawing will disturbance of the stomach, and feeling of take place under the Committee of Managegeneral depression. It is the safest medi- ment, about four clear days before the Day Taraxacum and Podophyllin is a of Race. Result Slips are forwarded to all fluid made only by J. PEPPER, Bedford Subscribers. Any Subscriber can be pre-Laboratory, London, whose name is on sent at the drawing either in person or every label. Bottles, 2s. 9d. Sold by all by proxy, on making application to the Secretary in writing. Add 1/ for Reply and Result. Drafts or P. O. Orders to be made payable to JAMES WALLAGE, Secretary, S. J. T. C., 209, Oxford Street, Sydney, 1884.

> HOP SHING & Co., ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS. COPPER SMITHS, BRASS & IRON FOUNDERS, &c.,

> WEST POINT IRON WORKS. TYAVING This Day commenced Bust. Orders executed with the utmost despatch and at moderate terms.

24th September, 1883.

Intimations.

NOTICE. HUNGKUNG SAVINGS', BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their to the student. on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 2.-The Assets of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation will separately.

form a direct security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above -Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year.

4.—Deposits may be on behalf of relations. of trusts, &c., in addition to the depositor's own account. 5.—Persons desirous of saving sums less than a dollar may do so by affixing clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be leaved Copies, \$2.50.

obtained at the Bank or at the Post Office. When the form is presented with ten clean stamps the depositor will be credited one dollar. -Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-

poration on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. Deposits may be forwarded from the Ports by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any values. 8. Interest at the rate of 34 per cent. per

annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances. -Each Depositor will be supplied gratis | Press. with a Pass-Book which must be prosented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be

written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. 10. Covers containing Pass-Books, Registered Letters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, correspondence as to the business of the Bank will, if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business, be forwarded free of Postage or Registration Fees by the various British Post Offices in

1. - Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. 2 -All documents consected with the business of the Savings' Bank are exempt from stansp duty.

Hongkong and China

HONGKONG & STANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION. T. JAUKSON. Chief Manager. Hongkong, April 25, 184.

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VITH Reference to he above, BUSI-NESS will be Commenced on the NESS will be Commenced on the For the HONGKONG & SHANGHA' BANKING

CORPOLATION. T. JACKSON. Chief Manager. Hongkong, April 25, 1884. NOTICE.

MOVED his FURNITURE STORE to the Premises lately occupied by Mr. DRISCOLL, No. 6, Queen's Road Central. A-TACK, Furniture Dealer. Hongkong, June 12, 1884.

THE Undersigned has This Day RE-

For Sale.

FOR SALE. ULES MUMM CHAMPAGNE Quarts ............\$20 per 1 doz. Case. Pints.....\$21 per 2 doz. " GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

FOR SALE.

Hongkong, December 20, 1883.

CIX EUROPEAN HOUSES, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, Alexandra Terrace. Monthly Rent, \$330. Apply to

OFFICE OF THIS PAPER. Hongkong, May 28, 1884.

FOR SALE. Fine AUSTRALIAN COW in full Milk, with a BULL CALF 10 months old.—Price for the Pair \$200 (dollars).

No. 5, PEDDER'S HILL. Hongkong, June 21, 1884. TUST RECEIVED, and FOR SALE in

Lors to suit Purchasers, a Large Invoice of the Celebrated MILWAUKEE AND ANHEUSER'S

BEER. REDUCED RATES: -\$18 per Cask containing 6 dozen Quarts ; \$19 per Cask of 10 dozen Pints. Orders promptly attended to. . . .

H. ST. CLAIR GREELEY,

Manager,

HONGRONG HOTEL. Hongkong, July 3, 1884.

NOW ON SALE. CHINESE DICTIONARY CANTONESE DIALECT,

> DR. E. J. EITEL. CROWN OCTAVO, PP. 1018.

Hongkong, 1877-1883. K-M, ... ... \$2.50 M-T, ... \$3.00 Part III. Part IV. T-Y, ... ... \$3.00

A Reduction of ten per cent. will be allowed to purchasers of Ten or more copies.

This Standard Work on the Chinese Language, constructed on the basis of Kanghi's Imperial Dictionary, contains all Chinese characters in practical use, and while alphabetically arranged according to the sounds of the oldest dialect of China, the Cantonese, it gives also the Mandarin pronunciation of all characters explained in the book, so that its usefulness is by no means cient and modern, as used all over the Empire, whilst its introductory chapters be conducted by the Hongkong and serve the purposes of a philological guide premises in Hongkong. Business hours . A Supplement, arranged for being bound

and used by itself, and containing a List of the Radicals, an Index, and a List of Surnames, will be published and sold

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, January 15, 1883. PUBLICATIONS BY J. DYER BALL.

" CANTONESE MADE EASY"-A O Book of SIMPLE SENTENCES in the CANTONESE COLLOQUIAL with Free and Literal Translations; and Directions for Rendering English Grammatical Forms into Chinese and vice versa. - Price, \$2. Inter-

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W. BREWER'S, and LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s, Hongkong; and at Messrs. TRÜBNER & Co.'s, London. Hongkong, January 23, 1884.

> Intimations. NOTICE.

TERSONS desirous of Exchanging Soiled

Ones may do so at the Hongkong & Shang-

HAI BANKING CORPORATION from this date. For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION, T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

ONE DOLLAR NOTES for CLEAN

Hongkong, May 30, 1884. HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS. WYNDHAM STREET, HONGKONG.

FITHE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast 715 Ports that he will RE-OPEN THE HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS on the 1st March.

The whole of the ROOMS have been NEWLY FURNISHED throughout, and there are ROOMS suitable for either MARRIED COUPLES OF SINGLE PERSONS. The TABLE will be supplied with the BEST the market can provide. The WINES and LIQUORS supplied, YERY BEST BRANDS.

have ALL REQUISITE information by will please communicate. GEORGE STAINFIELD, Proprietor.

Hongkong, February 28, 1884.

To Let.

TO BE LET. FURNISHED HOUSE in one of the Terraces.

'J. D. B., c/o. China Mail Office. Hongkong, March 26, 1884.

For Particulars, address

TO LET.

THE PREMISES now occupied by us, No. 11, Queen's Road Central. For further Particulars apply to Mesars. Russell & Co. GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

TO LET, FURNISHED.

TO LET, FURNISHED, No. 10, SEY-MOUR TERRACE. Apply to MANAGER,

China Mail OFFICE. Hongkong, April 15, 1884.

NO. 2, DOUGLAS VILLAS, CAINE ROAD. No. 6, UPPER MOSQUE TERRACE.

TO BE LET.

Possession from 1st May. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

TO LET.

Hongkong, April 5, 1884.

NO. 258, PRAYA CENTRAL. Nos. 4, 7 and 8, SEYMOUR TERRAGE. No. 7, GARDEN ROAD (known as 'HAR-PERVILLE').

No. 44, GRAHAM STREET. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, July 2, 1884.

MODOWNS-TO LET PRAYA EAST AND WANCHAI ROAD.

For Particulars, apply to

Hongkong, April 26, 1882. Notices to Consignees.

SIEMSSEN & Co.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. from the above Ports, Consignees work is a practically complete Thesaurus of the whole Written Language of China, and of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium-are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from

the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary he given before 3 p.m. To-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 11th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, July 4, 1884.

UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON, PENANG AND

China Review. "Will be found to supply ITHE Steamship Euphrates, Captain MITCHELL, having arrived from the \_Daily Press. "Mr. Ball's Notes on above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby Classifiers and Grammar will be found very | requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

SINGAPORE

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Optional cargo will be forwarded on to YOKOHAMA, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY. All Claims against the Steamer must be

the 9th July, or they will not be recognised. RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, June 30, 1884.

presented to the Undersigned on or before

UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM ANTWERP, HAMBURG,

PENANG & SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Devonshire, Captain 1 Punvis, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the next French Mail from Europe. the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Shanghai, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY. All Claims against the Steamer must be

the 9th July, or they will not be recognised. RUSSELL & Co., Agents, Hongkong, June 30, 1884:

presented to the Undersigned on or before

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES, and all others interested both at the Bar and Table will be of the | in Cargo from Sincapore, Saigon and HOIHOW, by S.S. Marlborough, are hereby GENTLEMEN desirous of taking Meals, informed that part of the Cargo has been such as TIFFINS and DINNERS, can salved by the Undersigned, with whom they The selved Goods are stored at present in our Godowns.

> A. SCHOMBURG & Co. Heihow, June 21, 1884.

Shipping.

Steamers. FOR SHANGHAL

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW-CHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Steamship

Captain GEAKE, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 7th Instant, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, July 4, 1884. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship Capt. Sommers, will be despatched as above on Glenarinen. or about the 4th July.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, June 20, 1884.

THE AUSTRALASIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND STRAITS STEAMSHIP COM-PANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE,

VIA SINGAPORE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND and TASMANIAN PORTS, NEW CALEDONIA and FIJL) . The Departure of the Steamship

is Unavoidably POSTPONED until TUES-DAY, 8th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Naples, Captain Тиом, ав above,

Hongkong, July 3, 1884. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE, (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-

LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW CALE-DONIA, FIJI and TASMANIA.) The Eastern and Australian Steamship Co.'s
Steamer
Catterthun,

General Managers.

Parcels (all of which must be sent to our Office) will be received up to 4 p.m. of the day previous. Contents and value of the Packages must be declared, to Lassage, apply to

Capt. H. CRAIG, will be despatched as above on or about TUESDAY, the 8th July.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, June 21, 1884. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND; through Passage Tickets granted to PORT MORESBY, NEW GUINEA.) The Steamship

Hoihow,
Capt. J. Clego, will be
despatched as above on FRIDAY, 18th July. This Vessel has unusually good Cabin Accommodation, situated amidahips, upon the upper deck.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, July 3, 1884.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Commandant Such, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from

I. MARTIN,

Acting Agent. Hongkong, July 3, 1884. NOTICE.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Commandant Benots, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

I. MARTIN. Acting Agent. Hongkong, July 3, 1884.

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Ship Honawar, Lane, Master, will load here

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1884.

for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. American Barque CROSSLEY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, June 17, 1884.

For Freight, apply to

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& Co., Manila. Foothow, Hence & Co. Shanghai, Office, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 8th Lane, Crawford & Co., and Kelly day of July, 1884, at 12 o'Clock, Noon, & Walsh. Yokohama, Lane, Craw- when the following Resolution will be pro-

# Bank.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

.85,000,000. PAID-UP CAPITAL ..... Instalment received on New Shares,....

1,563,361.66

\$7,074,744.75 \$2,500,000. Reserve Fund..... INSTALMENT OF PREMIUM TO-

ceived on New Shares ... \$4,063,361.66

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman -- A. P. McEwen, Esq. O. D. BOTTOMLEY, | M. GROTE, Esq. A. Gültzow, Esq. H. L. DALRYMPLE, Hon. W. KESWICK. A. Molver, Esq. Esq. A. MOIVER, Esq. M. E. Sassoon, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong, ..... THOMAS JACKSON, Esq. MANAGEB. anghai, ...... Ewen Cameron, Esq. LONDON BANKERS .- London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily

For Fixed Deposits:-For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum. n 6 n 4 per cent. n n 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, April 2, 1884.

Notices of Firms. NOTICE.

SNELL ORR. Our PARTNERS now are Mr. THOMAS DEAS BOYD, Mr. EDWARD NEILSON ROSE, Mr. THOMAS COVIL and Mr. PEPPER & Co., London. WILLIAM SNELL ORR.

BOYD & Co. Amoy, 1st July, 1884.

# Intimations.

NOTICE.

Provisions made under a Bill of Sale ledged by many eminent surgeons to be the dated the 15th day of April, 1884, made safest and mildest pills for every constitubetween Abraham Eleazen Abraham of tion. In boxes, at 1s. 12d., 2s. 9d., and the one part and the Undersigned of the other part, I have This Day entered and taken possession of the Premises known as the 'International Printing Office,' No. 3, Hollywood Road, Hongkong, and will my own account and in my Name. Hongkong, dated the 14th day of June,

J. S. JUDAH. NOTICE.

**RTOTICE** is hereby given, that by the Provisions made under Two Bills of ABRAHAM ELEAZER ABRAHAM of the one part, and ALEXANDRE AMADOR ECA DA ABRAHAN ELEAZER ABRAHAM and SOLOMON MEYERS of the other part, we, the Undersigned have This Day entered and taken possession of the Premises known as the NOVELTY STORE, in Marine House, No. 17. Queen's Road, Hongkong, and will transact all Business from henceforth on our own account and in our Names.

Dated the 14th day of June, 1884. A. A. ECA DA SILVA. S. MEYERS. Per pro. N. S. MEYERS.

TOORT. SIM & Co.'s PATENT ANTI-FOULING COMPOSITION as supplied to Her Majesty's Ships; The P. & O. S. N. Co.; The Douglas Steamship Company;

The Japanese Government. Sole Agent, China, Japan, and Manila. EDWARD GEORGE. Hongkong, January 31, 1884.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL. N and after the First June next, the

STORE of the Undersigned will be REMOVED to the Premises lately in the occupation of Messrs. Eca DA SILVA & Co., No. 48, Queen's Road. H. FOURNIER & Co.,

Storekeepers & Wine Merchants. Hongkong, May 1, 1884.

號五月七年四十八百八千一英

HONGKONG STEAM LAUNDRY COM-

July next, at 3 o'Clock p.m., to receive the Report of the Directors, when a full attendance of Shareholders is requested. WILLIAM LEGGE,

Hongkong, June 24, 1884. THE CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-

That at the end of No. 121 of the Articles of Association, there be added the fol-

or times and from time to time declare and pay to the Shareholders an interim Dividend of such amount as they shall think fit. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents,

THE LUZON SUGAR REFINING COM-

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extra-ordinary MEETING of the LUZON CLOSED SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LI-MITED, will be held at the Company's OFFICE, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 8th day day of July, 1884, at 10 minutes after will be proposed :--

of Association, there be added the following Words, that is to say :---Provided always that the General Agents and Consulting Committee may in their absolute discretion at any time or times and from time to time declare and pay to the Shareholders an interim Dividend of such amount as

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

they shall think fit.

WILLIAM DOLAN. SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER, 22. PRAYA CENTRAL.

MOTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS, U MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN CORK JACKETS,

&c., &c., &c.

"SULPHOLINE LOTION."

disorders, that have plagued the sufferers for years, however deeply rooted they may be, "Sulpholine" will successfully attack them. It destroys the animalcula which TATE Have this day Admitted as a cause these unsightly, irritable, painful W PARTNER in our Firm Mr. WILLIAM affections, and always produces a clear. healthy, natural condition of the skin. "Sulpholine" Lotion is sold by most Chemists. Bottles, 2s. 9d. Made only by J.

LIVER COMPLAINTS. FLATULENCE, PAINS BETWEEN THE SHOULDERS, BAD APPETITE, INDI-GESTION, ACIDITY, HEADACHE, HEARTBURN, and all other symptoms of ATOTICE is hereby given that by the disordered liver and dyspepsia. Acknow-

PEPPER'S QUININE & IRON TONIO DOUSES and develops the nervous enertransact all Business from henceforth for the gies, enriches the blood, promotes Seemd Horse... 4,000 Third Horse.... 2,000 appetie, dispels languor and depression, forremedy for neuralgia, indigestion, fevers, chest affections, and in wasting diseases, constitution greatly strengthened, and a return to robust health certain. Bottles, 32 | THE SYDNEY JOCKEY TURF Sale dated respectively the 3rd day of doses, 4s. 6d. Sold by Chemists every-March. 1883, made respectively between where. Made only by J. PEPPER & Co., Beg to inform the Sporting Public of China

Silva of the other part, and the said TARAXACUM & PODOPHYLLIN. droweiness, no appetite, furred tongue, dis-agreeable tasts in the morning, giddiness, or Melbourne (Victoria). Drawing will

> LOCKYER'S SULPHUR HAIR RESTORER

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TS the best for restoring grey hair to its I NESS, are ready to undertake Work 1 former colour. It produces a perfectly of the above Descriptions under the Supernatural shade, and is quite harmless. Valu- vision of an Expenienced European. able for destroying scurf and encouraging growth of new hair. Sold everywhere.

For Sale.

Established February.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JULY 5, 1884.

SEASON'S

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have Received their Supply of their well-known PRESENT TEA

in 5 and 10 Catty Boxes.

CHINA: Macao, Messrs A. A. DE MELLO Nordinary MEETING of the CHINA They are new forwarding the first parcel to England, and will be obliged by Orders from those who desire to have

Boxes sent to their friends.

lowing Words, that is to say:—
Provided always that the General Agents and Consulting Committee may in PRICE:—\$ 7.50 per 5-catty Box delivered free to any address in the United Kingdom. \$12.00, 10-catty, in the United Kingdom.

Hongkong, June 30, 1884.

NOTICE.

CAYLE & Co. beg to inform their Customers and the Public in general that in consequence of the Death of the Senior PARTNER, the BUSINESS carried on in Hongkone will be

On or before the 31st day of August Next,

AND THE WHOLE OF THE 12. Noon, when the following Resolution STOCK is now offered at a REDUCTION of 25 per Cent.

on the Marked Prices. Special terms will be made for parcels of Goods over \$100 in value purchased at one time.

All Sales from this date will be for Cash only. Customers are requested to make immediate Payment of Amounts due by them to the late Firm.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, June 9, 1884.

Intimations.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO

STEAMBOAT COMPANY. LIMITED. NOTICE. COMMENCING on MONDAY, the 30th

Instant, and until further Notice, the POWAN will run DAILY between CAN-

TON and MACAO, leaving CANTON at 8 a.m., and Macao at 6 p.m. By Order. T. ARNOLD,

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, June 24, 1884. D. K. GRIFFITM

HAS OPENED HIS NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO. No. 1. Duddell Street. In rear of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China THE NEW RAPID DRY PLATES, he is now

working, are Twenty Times quicker than the Old process and make Protraiture of Children easy and certain to secure. The Studio is open daily, and Portraits are taken in any weather at Moderate Charges, while every care is taken to procure permanency of the prints. NEW VIEWS OF HONGKONG AND THE COAST PORTS ALWAYS READY.

Hongkong, May 24, 1884. 1,450 Prizes. £50,000. 1,450 Prizes. THE SYDNEY JOCKEY TURF CLUB'S MELBOURNE CUP

CONSULTATION—1884. MEMBERS £1 - - - - - EACH. To be run on the Flemington Race Course, Melbourne, in November, 1884,

Distribution as follows: First Horse ..... £8,000; 10 Cash Prizes, £200 each, £2,000 Total .....£50,000 £500 oach ..... 3,000

CLUB that they have made arrangements for holding a £50,000 Consultation on the forthcoming Melbourne Cup of 1884, when THIS fluid combination, extracted from about 1.450 Paizes will be awarded to the medicinal roots, is now used instead Fortunate Holders of the winning Numbers. of blue pill and calomel for the cure of The Highest Prize being £8,000; and the dyspepsia, biliousness, and all symptoms of Lowest £10. Less 15 per cent. for excongestion of the liver, which are generally penses. Winning Numbers can be forwardpain beneath the shoulders, headache, ed for payment or collection to the Manager disturbance of the stomach, and feeling of take place under the Committee of Managegeneral depression. It is the safest medi- ment, about four clear days before the Day cine. Taraxacum and Podophyllin is a of Race. Result Slips are forwarded to all fluid made only by J. PEPPER, Bedford Subscribers. Any Subscriber can be pre-Laboratory, London, whose name is on sent at the drawing either in person or every label. Bottles, 2s. 2d. Sold by all by proxy, on making application to the Secretary in writing. Add 1/ for Reply and Result. Drafts or P. O. Orders to be made payable to JAMES WALLACE, Secretary, S. J. T. C., 209, Oxford Street, Sydney, 1814 MAY, 1884.

> HOP SHING & Co., ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS. COPPER SMITHS, BRASS & IRON FOUNDERS, &c.,

WEST POINT IRON WORKS. FTAVING This Day commenced Busi-Orders executed with the namost despatch

and at moderate terms.

24th September, 1883.

Intimations.

NOTICE. HONGKUNG SAVINGS', BANK.

be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their | to the student. premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 2.-The Assets of the Hongkong and

Shanghai Banking Corporation will form a direct security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above -Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No

in any one year. -Deposits may be on behalf of relations. of trusts, &c., in addition to the depositor's own account. 5.—Persons desirous of saving sums less

than a dollar may do so by affixing clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank or at the Post Office. When the form is presented be credited one dollar.

their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. -Deposits may be forwarded from the Price, \$1. Ports by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any values. -Interest at the rate of 34 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on

their daily balances. -Each Depositor will be supplied gratis | Press. with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and begin-

ning of July. 10.—Covers containing Pass-Books, Registered Letters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, correspondence as to the business of the Bank will, if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business, be forwarded free of Postage or Registration Fees by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China:

1. Withdrawals may be made on demund, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. 2 -All documents connected with the

For the Hongkong & Stanghai Banking CORPORATION. T. JAUKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, April 25, 1184. JITH Reference to the above, BUSI-NESS will be Commenced on the

T. JACKBON. Hongkong, April 25, 1884. NOTICE.

to the Fremises lately occupied by Mr. applying to DRISCOLL, No. 6, Queen's Road Central. A-TACK. Furniture Dealer.

For Sale.

1845.

FOR SALE. ULES MUMM OHAMPAGNE. Quarta ......\$20 per 1 doz. Case. Pints.......\$21 per 2 doz.

Hongkong, December 20, 1883. FOR SALE.

CIX EUROPEAN HOUSES, Nos. 1, 2

3, 4, 5 and 6, ALEXANDRA TERRACE. Monthly Rent, \$330. Apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

OFFICE OF THIS PAPER. Hongkong, May 28, 1884. FOR SALE.

Fine AUSTRALIAN COW in full Milk, with a BULL CALF 10 months old.—Price for the Pair \$200 (dollars). Apply to No. 5, PEDDER'S HILL.

Hongkong, June 21, 1884. TUST RECEIVED, and FOR SALE in Lors to suit Purchasers, a Large Invoice of the Celebrated

MILWAUKEE AND ANHEUSER'S BEER. REDUCED RATES: -\$18 per Cask containing 6 dozen Quarts; \$19 per Cask of 10 dozen Pints.

Orders promptly attended to. H. ST. CLAIR GREELEY, HONGKONG HOTEL.

NOW ON SALE. CHINESE DICTIONARY N CANTONESE DIALECT,

Hongkong, July 3, 1884.

DR. E. J. EITEL.

CROWN OCTAVO, PP. 1018. Hongkong, 1877-1883. Part I. A-K, ... ... \$2.50 Part III. M-T, ... ... \$3.00

Part IV. T-Y, ... ... ... \$3.00 A Reduction of ten per cent. will be allowed to purchasers of Ten or more copies.

This Standard Work on the Chinese Language, constructed on the basis of Kanghi's Imperial Dictionary, contains all Chinese characters in practical use, and while alphabetically arranged according to the sounds of the oldest dialect of China, the Can-tonese, it gives also the Mandarin pronunciation of all characters explained in the book, so that its usefulness is hy no means work is a practically complete Thesaurus of the whole Written Language of China, an-

1.—The business of the above Bank will Empire, whilst its introductory chapters serve the purposes of a philological guide of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the transfer of the Wharves or Boats delivery may be ob-A Supplement, arranged for being bound and used by itself, and containing a List of the Radicals, an Index, and a List of

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PERSONS desirous of Exchanging Soiled ONE DOLLAR NOTES for Clean ONES may do so at the Hongkong & Shang-HAL BANKING CORPORATION from this date.

CORPORATION,

WYNDHAM STREET, HONGKONG.

Public of Hongkong and the Coast 715 Ports that he will RE-OPEN THE HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS on the 1st March.

THE Undersigned begs to notify the

The TABLE will be supplied with the The WINES and LIQUORS supplied, both at the Bar and Table will be of the | in Cargo from Singapone, Saigon and

VERY BEST BRANDS. MOVED his FURNITURE STORE have ALL REQUISITE information by will please communicate,

Hongkong, February 28, 1884.

日三十月五閏年申甲

To-Let.

TO BE LET. FURNISHED HOUSE in one of the TERRACES. For Particulars, address.

'J. D. B., c/o. China Mail Office. Hongkong, March 26, 1884.

TO LET.

THE PREMISES now occupied by us No. 11, Queen's ROAD CENTRAL. For further Particulars apply to Mesara Russell & Co.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, August 1, 1883,

TO LET, FURNISHED. TO LET, FURNISHED, No. 10, SEY MOUR TERRACE. Apply to

MANAGER, China Mail Office. Hongkong, April 15, 1884.

TO BE LET. NO. 2, DOUGLAS VILLAS, CAINE ROAD.

No. 6, Upper Mosque Terrace. Possession from 1st May. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, April 5, 1884.

TO LET.

YO. 25B, PRAYA CENTRAL. Nos. 4, 7 and 8, SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 7, Garden Road (known as 'HAR-PERVILLE'). No. 44, GRAHAM STREET.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, July 2, 1884.

O DOWNS-TO LET PRAYA EAST AND WANCHAL ROAD.

For Particulars, apply to

Hongkong, April 26, 1882.

SIEMISEN & Co.

Notices to Consignees. FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

from the above Ports, Consignees Cargo are hereby informed that their cient and modern, as used all over the Goods—with the exception of Opium—are being landed at their risk into the Godowns

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before D. m. To-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 1th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, July 4, 1884.

UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. China Review. "Will be found to supply ITHE Steamship Emphrates, Captain MITCHELL, having arrived from the \_Daily Press. "Mr. BALL's Notes on above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby Classifiers and Grammar will be found very requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods

from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Optional cargo will be forwarded on to YOKOHAMA, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY. All Claims against the Steamer must be

RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, June 30, 1884.

presented to the Undersigned on or before

the 9th July, or they will not be recognised.

UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM ANTWERP, HAMBURG,

PENANG & SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Devonshire, Captain Purvis, having arrived from the above HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods

from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamor will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to

SHANGHAL unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 9th July, or they will not be recognised.

RUSSELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, June 30, 1884:

NOTICE

CONSIGNEES; and all others interested Hornow, by. S.S. Marlborough, are hereby GENTIEMEN desirous of taking Meals, informed that part of the Cargo has been such as TIFFINS and DINNERS, can salved by the Undersigned, with whom they The salved Goods are stored at present in our Godowns.

A. SCHOMBURG & Co.

PRICE, \$2 TER MONTH Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SHANGHAL (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW-CHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Steamship

Captain GEAKE, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 7th Instant, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, July 4, 1884. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship Glenartney,
Capt. Sommers, will be
despatched as above on or about the 4th July. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, June 20, 1884. THE AUSTRALASIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND STRAITS STEAMSHIP COM-

PANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, VIA SINGAPORE.

CALEDONIA and FIJL) The Departure of the Stoamship
Naples,
Captain Thom, as above, s Unavoidably POSTPONED until TUES-DAY, 8th Instant, at 4 p.m.

General Managers. Hongkong, July 3, 1884. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE,

DONIA, FIJI and TASMANIA.) The Eastern and Australian S Steamer tralian Steamship Co.'s Catterthun.

Parcels (all of which must be sent to our Office) will be received up to 4 p.m. of the day previous.

Contents and value of the Packages must be declared, or ressage, approximately

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, June 21, 1884.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND; through Passage Tickets granted to PORT MORESBY. NEW GUINEA.)

The Steamship FRIDAY, 18th July. Accommodation, situated amidships, upon the upper deck.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, July 3, 1884.

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant Such, will be despetched for I. MARTIN.

Acting, Agent.

Hongkong, July 3, 1884. NOTICE.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Commandant Brnois, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of

J. MARTIN Acting Agent.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Ship Honauwar. Lane, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

Sailing Vessels.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1884.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. American Barque Spartan, CROSSLEY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1884.

For Freight, apply to

Intimations.

PANY, LIMITED. THE FIRST Annual General MEETING of the Company will be held at the Honokong Hotel on MONDAY, the 7th

Acting Secretary.

PANY, LIMITED. Co., Square, Singapore. C. HEINSZEN NTOTICE is hereby given that an Extra-& Co. Swatow, Quelcu & Co. SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LI-Amoy, Wilson, Nicholis & Co. MITED, will be held at the Company's

their absolute discretion at any time

Hongkong, June 27, 1884. PANY, LIMITED.

That at the end of No. 117 of the Articles

Hongkong, June 27, 1884.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882. A N External Means of CURING SKIN A DISEASES. There is scarcely any eruption but will yield to "Sulpholine" in a few days, and commence to fade away, even if it seems past cure. Ordinary pimples, redness, blotches, scurf, roughness, vanish as if by magic; whilst old, enduring skin

TAR. KING'S DANDELION & QUININE LIVER PILLS (without Mercury). THE BEST REMEDY FOR BILIOUS. STOMACH DERANGEMENT,

4s. 6d. Sold by Chemists throughout the tifies the digestive organs. Is a specific scrofulous tendencies, &c. The whole 2 Cash Prizes frame is greatly invigorated by Pepper's Tonic, the mental faculties brightened, the

[X] ILL darken grey hair, and in a few Australia. V days completely bring back the natural colour. The effect is superior to that produced by a direct dye, and does not injure the skin. Large bottles, 1g. 6d. Lockyer's is equal to the most expensive hair restorer.

depositor may deposit more than \$1,500

with ten clean stamps the depositor will -Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at

business of the Savings' Bank are exempt from stamp duty.

HONGKONG & SHANGHA & BANKING CORPORATION: Chief Manager

Hongkong, June 12, 1884.

Surnames, will be published and sold separately. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, January 15, 1883.

Literal Translations; and Directions for Rendering English Grammatical Forms into Chinese and vice versa.—Price, \$2. Inter-"We most cordially recommend it."a want long felt by students of Cantonese."

DIALECT WITH A VOCABULARY."-

Intimations. NOTICE.

> T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Hongkong, May 30, 1884. HOTE1 DE L'UNIVERS.

The whole of the ROOMS have been NEWLY FURNISHED throughout, and there are ROOMS suitable for either MARRIED Couples or Single Persons. BEST the market can provide.

GEORGE STAINFIELD, Proprietor.

Hoihow, June 21, 1884.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND and TASMANIAN PORTS, NEW

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co...

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW CALE-

Capt. H. CRAIG, will be despatched as above on or about TUESDAY, the 8th July.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hollow,
Capt. J. Clege, will be
despatched as above on This Vessel has unusually good Cabin

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES,

the next French Mail from Europe. Hongkong, July 3, 1884.

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No. 53, Queen's Road East, (OPPOSITE THE COMMISSARIAT). NOW LANDING FROM AMERICA.

ALIFORNIA RÀCKER OMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 lb tins, and loose: Soda BISCUITS.

Assorted BISCUITS.

CORNMEAL.

Small HOMINY. Cracked WHEAT. OATMEAL.

TOPOCAN BUTTER. Eastern and Californian CHEESE. CODFISH, Boncless. Prime HAMS and BACON. Eagle Brand Condensed MILK. Family BEEF in 25 to kegs. Beau Ideal SALMON in 5 lb cans. Cutting's Dessert FRUITS in 24 th cans. Assorted Canned VEGETABLES. Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage MEAT.

Stuffed PEPPERS.

Assorted SOUPS.

Richardson & Robbin's Celebrated Potted MEATS. Lunch HAM. Lambs' TONGUES. Clam OHOWDER. Fresh OREGON SALMON. Dried APPLES. TOMATOES. SUCCOTASH Maple SYRUP. Golden SYRUP.

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BASS'S ALE, bottled by Cameron and Saunders, pints and quarts. GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by E. & J. BURKE, pints and quarts. DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the

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Fine New Season's CUMSHAW TEA. in 5 catty Boxes. BREAKFAST CONGOU @ 25 cents p. lb.

MILNER'S PATENT FIRE-PROOF SAFES, CASH and PAPER \*# BOXES, at Manufacturer's Prices. Hongkong, June 14, 1834.

## Intimations.

GOLD MEDAL, PARIS 1878.

JOSEPH GILLOTT'S STEEL PENS. Sold by all Dealers throughout the World.

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DRY DOCK AND PATENT SLIP, NAGASAKI.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS for THE IMPERIAL GOV. VERNMENT DOCK AND PATENT SLIP, at Nagasaki, and are prepared to supply Tenders for the Docking, CLEANING, PAINTING, &co., of VESSELS: The ENGINE Works in connection with the Dockyard are under the direction of experienced En-GINEERS and possess all the necessary applionces for Repairs to Suips and Machinery. HOLME, RINGER & Co.

THE REPORT OF THE TRIAL OF LOGAN AT CANTON that appeared in the China Mail has been printed in PAM-PHLET FORM, and is now on Sale .-Price, 30 Cents. Hongkong, October 3, 1883.

Nagasaki, March, 1884.

# Insurances.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. (FIRE AND LIFE.)

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THE Undersigned are prepared to grant ! POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Ports on TUESDAY, the 8th Instant, at Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of 3 p.m. Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms . For Freight or Passage, apply to and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-

ceived, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton,

Hongkong, January 4, 1867. THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTEP OF His Majesty King George The First, а. р. 1720.

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Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia. Fire Department. Policies issued for long or short periods at

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RISKS to all parts of the World, at current ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, November 5, 1883.

Destinution.

## Insurances.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, ACENTS of the above Company, are authorized to Insura

against FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Risks on First Class Godowns at 1 per cent. net premium per annum. NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 19, 1881.

# To-day's Advertisements.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passingers at through rates for NINOPO, CHEFOO. NEW. CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship Menclaus. Captain Nelson, will be despatched as above on or about the 7th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, July 5, 1884.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUL. The Co.'s Steamship Hailvong. Capt. Gondand, will be despatched for the above

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, July 5, 1884.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain PITMAN, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 9th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, July 5, 1884.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Jaco, will be despatched as above on or about the 11th Instant. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, July 5, 1884. STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

prepared to GRANT POLICIES ON MARINE place on SATURDAY, 12th Inst., at 3 p.m. BELL & Co. A. McIVER. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, July 5, 1884.

Manila, via Amoy.......Diamante (s)......Stach......Russell & Co........July 7, at 5 p.m.
Marseilles, &c., via Saigon.....Peibo (s).......du Temple......Messageries Maritimes......July 10, at noon.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

200£ 50 First year

100 \$ 20 8

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\* For 6 months to 30th June 1883.- | Dividend for 1882 and Honus of 25 per cent.- || For half year ended 81st Dec., 1883.- | For 1888.

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600,000 \$

516,978

Interest.

28,711.50 Credit balance

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\*576,391.99

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Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corporation... 60,000 \$ 125 \$ 125 \$4,063,361.66 \$

INSURANCES.

STEAM COMPANIES.

Indo-China S. N. Co., Lt. 60,000 sh. issued

Hongkong & Whampon Dock Co., Limited ...

New Shares.....

HK, and China Gas Company, Limited ...

Hongkong Hotel Co., Lt., 3,000 shs. issued {

China Sugar Company, Limited.....

Perak Tin Mining & Smelting Co., Limited...

North-China Insurance Company, Limited .... 5,000 £ Yangtsze Insurance Company, Limited ..... 8,000 £

China Traders' Insurance Company, Limited... 24,000 & Canton Insurance Office Company, Limited... 10,000 &

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited ...... 8,000 S

China Fire Insurance Company, Limited ..... 20,000 \$

HK, C, and M. Steamboat Co., Limited ..... 8,000 S

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Union Insurance Society Company, Limited... 2,000 \$ 1,250 \$ 125 \$ China Traders' Insurance Company, Limited... 24,000 \$ 83.33 \$ 25 \$

Chinese Insurance Company, Limited ...... 1,500 \$ 1,000 \$

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHII COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, July 5, 1884.

The Co.'s Steamship Port on MONDAY, 7th Instant, at 5 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to-RUSSELL & Co.,

TIENDERS for SPECIE, Mexican Dol. lars current in this Colony, weighing 7.1.7, in Exchange for BILLS, drawn On Demand, on the Government of India, Calcutta, will be RECEIVED by the CHIEF Triumph, for Queloong. PAYMASTER, Army Pay Department, until

The Tenders to state the Total Amount | Bangalore, for Singapore, &c. required (in Rupees), and the Amount for Emuy, for Amoy and Manila. which each Bill should be drawn; but no Yung Ching, for Shanghai. Bills will be issued for sums below Rs. 10,000. Thibet, for Yokohama. Danube, for Bangkok. The Tenders to be in duplicate, in Sealed Covers, addressed to 'The Chief Pay- H.B.M.S. Linnet, for Tientsin. Army Pay Department, and endorsed 'Tenders for Government Bills.' The right to accept or reject any or all

Owners will be Responsible for ANNA SIEBEN, German barque, Captain

Capt. H. O. Winson. - Bun Hin Chan. CENTAUR, German barque, Captain C Offerson.—Wieler & Co. C. T. Hook, British steamer, Captain W. Jarvis .-- T. Howard & Co. CHI YUEN, British steamer, Capt. Wallace.—C. M. S. N. Co. El Capitan, American ship, Capt. J. Sewall.—Captain. GOVERNOR GOODWIN, Amer. ship, Capt

and 424 Chinese. G. Dickson.—Captain. GREAT ADMIRAL, American ship, Capt. James F. Rowell .- Master. HONAUWAR, British ship, Captain John Lane. - Messageries Maritimes. LEONORA, American ship, Captain J. F. Petersen. -P. & O. S. N. Co. MACEDON, British ship, Captain J. F.

MEDORA, British barque, Captain D. W. Schiller, German barque, Captain C. WILDWOOD, American barque, Captain Chown. Ar Spriver.—Melchers & Co. John H. Potter. - Jardine, Matheson & Co.

# SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. July 4, 1884 :--Cairngorm, British steamer, 1,166, Wn will leave for the above Jack, Saigon June 30, General.—ADAMSON

July 5 :--

Don Juan, Spanish steamer, 654, José M. Marquez, Manila July 2, General .-H14 BRANDAO & Co.

Messageries Maritimes..... quick despatch.

\$18.29†

Date of Leaving.

JULY 4, 1884.

Costing Quotations,

120 buyers

Tla. 135

\$550

\$66

**\$**330

25 discount

58 Ballers

2 % prem.

\$145

543.83 \$10 % ftr 1883 \$140 per share

656.32 \$10 per share \$100 buyers

\$84 per share

118 cash, 121 Sept.

Tls. 280 per share

### Parseval, French man-of-war, Commander To-day's Advertisements. Thousen, Quinhen July 2. Chen-to, Chinese gunboat, from Cauton.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

Captain STACH, will be despatched, for the above General Managers.

# GOVERNMENT BILLS.

Figure, for Havre. Tamega, Portuguese gunboat, for Macao. 12, Noon, on TUESDAY NEXT, the 8th Hector, for Shanghai. Amatista, for Iloilo.

29, General.—Burrereield & Swike.

General.—Abanson, Bell & Co.

eneral. C. M. S. N. Co.

Benchutha, Chinese steamer, 1,338,.

DEPARTURES.

CLEARED.

PASSENGERS.

Per Don Juan, from Manila, Messrs

Per Menelaus, from Singapore, &c., 3 Eu-

Per Rochampton, from Antworp via Sai-

Per Benclutha, from Swatow, 47 Chinese.

Per Namoa, from Coast Ports, Messrs

Stevens, P. M. Franco M. A. Baptista, R.

Hurley and C. Jamieson, Miss F. Hams

Miss Linklater, Miss M. Linklater, Master

Linklater, and Mr Lee Mun Teen, and 132

DEPARTED.

Per Thibet for Yokohama : from Hong

Per Amatista, for Singapore, 2 Europeans,

Per Yung Ching, for Shanghai, 7 Chinese.

To DEPART.

Per Danube, for Bangkok, 2 Europeans,

Per Three Brothers, for Vanglam, 3

Per Glenroy, for Shanghai, 2 Europeans.

Per Chi Yuen, for Swatow, 400 Chinese.

Per Don Juan, for Amoy, 93 Chinese.

Per Greyhaund, for Hollow, 50 Chinese.

Per Emuy, for Amoy, 120 Chinese.

ropeans deck, and 60 Chinese.

Lady Herewood, for Quinhon.

Three Brothers, for Vanglum.

Menelaus, for Shanghai.

Glenroy, for Shanghai.

Chi Yucu, for Swatow.

Don Juan, for Amoy.

Greyhound, for Hoihow.

Mr. and Mrs Dalziel.

the Tenders is reserved.

E. CATTELL, Lieut.-Col., Chief Paymaster.

TREASURY CHEST OFFICE. Queen's Road, 1108 | Alwine, for Quinhon. Hongkong, 5th July, 1884.

## Not Responsible for Debts.

Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor Severino Osmeño and Vicente Suyco, and 93 Chinese. any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :gon, I European, and 16 Chinese. Paulsen.-Wieler & Co.

Annie W. Weston, American barque,

kong, Mr and Mrs Crudeson, Mrs and Miss Fleming, From Colombo, Mr J. S. Baird, H. A. Norton. -Captain. GOVERNOR THARY, British ship, Capt. J

Hind .- P. & O. S. N. Co. and 18 Chinese. MATILDA, American ship, Captain J. G. Merryman. - Jardine, Matheson & Co. Carter.—Order. Steinbömer.—Melchers & Co.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The Spanish steamer Don Juan reports: Fine weather an I smooth sea. The British steamer Menelous reports: weather throughout the passage from Singapore : 42 days out. The Chinese steamer Benclutha reports Light variable winds, and fine weather.

The British steamer Namoa reports: Left Foochow on the 2nd July, Amoy on 3rd, and Swatow on 4th, and experienced fresh to moderate S.W. winds, with overcast weather and rain showers to Amoy thence to Swatow, moderate to light S.W. winds and cloudy weather; thence to port light airs and clear weather. Steamers in Foochow, Glenartney, Benarty, Whampoa, Suez. Cardinganshire Haeshin and Welle. Steamers in Amoy, Benvenue, Claymore and Tientsin, H.B.M.S. Champion. Steamers Swatow, Wenchow, Nanshan, Chintung

# POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-

For SWATOW AND AMOY .--Per Chi Yuen, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 6th inst

For AMOY AND MANLIA. Per Diamante, at 4.30 p.m., on Monday, the 7th inst. For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS-LAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNS-

MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE, Se. Se.-Per Catherthun, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 8th inst.

For SINGAPORE, PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY ISLAND. COOKTOWN TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYD. NEY AND MELBOURNE. Per Naples, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 8th inst.

For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS-LAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNS-VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND at 7.20 p.m. MELBOURNE, &c., &c.— Per Hothow, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the 18th inst.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.-The French Contract Packet Peiko

will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 10th July, with Mails for the Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

HOURS OF CLUSING THE FRENCH MAIL The following hours are observed in closing

Day before departure (or Saturday if the departure be on Monday) .-5 P.M.—Money Order Office closes. open out of Office hours. Day of departure,-A.M. -- Post Office opens.

Packet:---

Posting of all printed matter. and patterns ceases. Late Fee of 10 cents until

11.30 A.M.—When the Post Office closes

entirely. 11.40 a.m.—Late Letters may be posted

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES :-Sr. John's Cathedral. Rev. W. Jen-Hai-tung-hung, Chinese gunboat, from

Menclaus, British steamer, 1,518, R. Nelson, Liverpool May 24, and Singapore 4th in the month. Military Service. - Rev. H. W. Loe, B. A., Rochampton, British steamer, 1,390, San-Military Chaplain. Parade Service at 8 A.M. Holy Communion on the second Sunderson, Antwerp April 23, and Saigon July day at the conclusion of the Parade Service. UNION CHURCH. - Service, 11 A.M. H. Lunt, Swatow July 4, General.—C. M.

Chalmers, M.A., L.L.D. Kung-pai, Chinese steamer, 602, Buchan-ST. PETER'S CHURCH, for SEAMEN, &c. -1111 an. Newchwang June 27, and Chefoo 28, Rev. H. W. Lee, B.A., Chaplain. Service at 6 P.M. Holy Communion after Service on the third Sunday in each month. Namoa, British steamer, 863, Geo. D. Pitman, Foochow July 2, Amoy 3, and the Seats are free. Swatow 4, General.—Douglas Steamshap

> P.M., and on Fridays, at 7 P.M. ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION CHURCH.—Rev. J. B. Ost. and Rov. Lo Sam Yuen. (All Services in Chinese.) Morning Prayer :--

> in Chinese month. GERMAN BETHESDA CHAPEL -Service in the German language, by Rev. F. Hartmann, every Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House,

9 A.M. Mass and Sermon. 5.30 P.M. Even- this respect since his last trin ing Service. Benediction. PEAK OHUBCH.-Church of England Services at 5.30 on all Sunday Evenings in the month except the last. Holy Communion at 8 A.M. on the last Sunday in month. Presbyterian Service on last Sunday at 5.30 г.м.

# MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

Shipping. 10 a.m. - Glenroy leaves for Shanghai. 5 p.m. - Diamante leaves for Manila. Meeting.

3 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Ltd., at Hongkong Hotel.

## General Memoranda.

Tuesday, July 8:-Noon. - Tenders for Government Bills received by the Chief Paymaster. Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of the China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at the General Agents' office. 12.10 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of the Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at the General Agents' office.

WEDNESDAY, July 9:-Claims against the Devonshire must be sent in to Messrs Russell & Co., on before this date. Claims against the Euphrates must be sent in to Messrs Russell & Co., on or before this date.

FRIDAY, July 11:-Goods per Glenroy undelivered after this date subject to rent.

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MANUFACTURERS Water, Lemonade, Tonic Water, Gingerade, Potass Water, Sarsaparilla Water, and other Acrated Waters. The Manufactory is under direct and

Hongkong, June 1, 1876. SUN AND TIDE TABLE FOR

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HONGKONG. \*\*

(IVAX)							
	High W	ATER.	Sun.				
Day of Month.	Morn.	Aft.	Klses.	Bets,			
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7 R	7.27	9.38	5.23	6.46			
9	8.7 8.43	10.10 10.46	5.23 5.24	6.46 6.45			

9.20 11.24 5.25 6.45 Barrier: 3 hrs. 15 mins.; at the Salt Flats: 3 hrs. 30 mins.; at Shameen;

3 hra. 45 mins.

The publication of this issue commenced

The China Mail.

HONGRONG, SATURDAY, JULY 5, 1884.

Oun re-constructed Legislative Council

has, with all due formality, gone into United Kingdom, Europe, and places has, with all due formality, gone into beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits recess after its first session. Amid a Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, display of soldiery, Sikh constables and the Australasian Colonies, Pondickery, lukongs, and in the presence of leaders Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, of society and fashion in this gorgeous Colony of the Far East, the last performance of the legislative session has taken place, and the curtain has descended, not to be raised again until November. Honorable members of the Council will regret that after their arduous legislative exertions of the last Mails, &c., by the French Contract four months they are unable to retire for a time to truly rural pursuits, or to enjoy a tour abroad. True, we have a Continent in this part of the world open Post Office closes, except the to travel-the continent of China, but NIGHT Box, which is always its odours are too strong, its sun too hot, and its means of accommodation and communication too bad, to make it a touring ground for jaded legislators.

In making a few remarks at the prosogation, Mr Ryrie observed that it tible assertion than this in his life. The oratorical displays of our new memon board the packet with Late bers have not been overwhelming either loay indeed that the palm for oratory married.

among the new unofficial members during the session must be given to the Honorable Wong Shing; that he has made a longer speech in the Council nings, M.A., Colonial Chaplain. Morning than either Mr Jackson or Mr Sassoon. Service 11, Evening 5. Hely Com- The Council as at present constituted, munion every Sunday, except the 2nd and in regard to both its official and nonofficial element, is not likely, in fact, to astonish the community with any dazzling displays of oratory. Its president, Sir George Bowen, is the only member who has exhibited so far Soldiers' Service, 7.30 A.M.—Rev. J. Col- u penchant for ruetoric. Mr Price can ville. Service in Chinese, 2 P.M. Rev. J. speak well when the occasion arises. but he is not apparently fond of addressing the Council. The Attorney General would doubtless often impart much valuable information viva voce, if one could only hear distinctly what he says. LONDON MISSION CHAPEL, Queen's Road Mr Lister lacks confidence to some West Hongkong Christian Association extent as a speaker and has had Services for Seamon, on Sundays, at 7.30 no practice. The Conneil lost its best member, from at least an oratorical point of view, when Mr Bulkeley Johnson left. He was an able controversa-Litany, Ante-Communion, and Sermon, at list and a fluent speaker. It is not 11 A.M. Bible Class, at 3 P.M. Preaching, giving him too much praise to say he at 6.30 P.M. Holy Communion, 1st Sunday was the most useful public man that has figured in this Colony during a long period of years. Mr Keswick, able and experienced business man and member of the Council as he undoubtedly is never shone us an orator, and seem St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road. - to have fallen off even more in

home. The Rupert of Debate

would be more deserving of that

cognomen if, when he rises to his feet.

he could always grapple successfully

with the intricacies of the English

language. Sometimes Mr Ryrie tri-

umphs over the language, and some-

times the language triumphs over Mr

But, although the present Council is feeble in an oratorical lense, yet we can say unhesitatingly it is the best and probably the ablest legislative body that has ever assembled in Hongkong. If the members cannot talk, they can work. Its members are all old residents in the Colony; they have on intimate knowledge of its defects, and are most capable of considering the remedies, official, commercial or sanitary. Oratory is a useful accomplishment, but the o may be a great deal too much of i at meetings of legislative bodies, and really the community will observe with satisfaction there is little probability of the Council wasting its time in much eloquence. Our worthy Governor will. we presume, launch into rhetorical efforts occasionally, and ornament sufficiently, in an oratorical sense, the proceedings of the Council.

The address given by His Excellency

at the prorogation of the Council was

an able production, and it showed that most satisfactory amount of work has been got through during the session. During the last four months there has been more legislative activ y displayed in the Colony than during any other equal period of its history. This is chiefly owing to the fact that the meetings of the Council have been held weekly, instead of at ( irregular intervals as before. The institution of committees by the Governor must also have largely facilitated the business, and no doubt at the same time lessened the opportunities for speechmaking at the meetings of the Council. There has been no friction between the Governor and members of the Council as in Sir John Pope Hennessy's timefriction which was not only productive of much unpleasantness but was a great hindrance to the progress of legislation. Mr Ryrie's remarks on the occasion were appropriate and deserved. His Excellency has brought the Lepislative Council into better working or ier than ever it was in before; it has during the session nerformed an exceptionally large amount of useful work; and there appears to be a disposition from the Gov-786 ernor downward to have as much done in the way of public works and improvements as the finances of the Colony can possibly warrant. Even more work of this kind would probably be placed in hand if the finances of the Colony would permit of it. We must not however. go beyond our means.

THE Chinese Government has apparently taken a higher stand in regard to the Langson business than a disavowal of that affair. It says, in effect, that the post was held by the Chinese troops in 20-High water at Whampon : 2 hrv. 30 | consequence of an order issued by itself mins. later than at Hongkong; at the to postpone evacuation of the Tonquia territory until a definitive Treaty between the two Powers had been signed. This means, we presume, that China devies the right of France to carry out a particular provision of the Convention until the Trenty arranged for in that document has been finally settled. In other words, China defends the fighting on the grounds of international law. This may be a very good position for China, as a semi-civilized constry comewhat ignorant of the usages of internatio al law, to take up, especially for exciting sympathy on her behalf among European nations, but we are inclined to think international law will be found not to support her contention. By the Convention China engaged 'immediately to withdraw the Chinese garrisons from Topquin. This can hardly be taken to mean in several months, when a freaty has been drawn up, signed and ratified.

BARNUM'S latest is a man-bear. This interestting creature is now in his or itstwenty-eighth year. As a child, we are informed, the little cub's appearance was so much against him that he was turned out into the woods, where he literally picked up his living, subsisting on nuts and acquiring the habits of a wild beast. His face is said not to be lacking in intelligence, and the upper part of his body does not differ notably from that of a human being. His legs and feet are, however, formed like those of a bear, and, like a bear, he walks on all fours. Indeed, all his movements 11 A.M. -Mails closed, except for Late might be said by some people that the are described as bearish, and he is apt to new unofficial members had not given growl in an unpleasant manner. Other-11.10 a.m.-Letters may be posted with them any great oratorical displays. Mr wise, he is, by all accounts, rather a nice Ryrie never made a more incontrover- person-docile, harmless, found of music, money, and 'candy.' He can cat any kind of food, is endowed with immense physical strength, and is inclined to be mischievous and playful, with no intention Tee of 10 cents until time of in brilliancy or length. Some persons to be offensive. He is engaged to be

# VILLÉ, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, A.M.—Registry of Letters ceases.

APPAIRS IN TONGUIN.

London, July 4: M. Ferry announced that the attack on Langson had not been disavowed by the Chinese Foreign office, but that on the contrary the latter admits that an order had been issued to postpone evacuation of the territory until a definitive Treaty between the two powers had been signed.

THE PRENCH CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES. The Chamber of Deputies has passed a Constitution.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PARSED CANAL: - Feronia, June 16.

The next FRENCH MAIL, per the M. M. Co.'s S. S. Sindle, left Singapore on Thursday, the 3rd instant, at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday the 10th instant.

The direct steamers, with the next Indian mail, left Calcutta on the morning of the 21st June, and are due here on or about the 5th July.

The O. S. S. Menelaus left Singapore for this port on the 29th June. The S. S. Tannadice left Sydney for this

The S. S. Athell left Singapore for this port on the 3rd inst. The S. S. Patroclus left Singapore for this port on the 4th inst.

port on the 1st July.

DOOK MOVEMENTS :-The S. S. Taisang went to Aberdeen Dock to-day.

The S. S. Alwine left Kowloon Dock to-The S. S. Naples will leave Aberdeen Dock to-morrow.

THE Government Astronomer sends us the following telegrams from Manila:-

Evening, 4th July, 1884.—A Typhoon is raging to the E.S.E. of Manila. Morning, 5th July, 1884 .- The Typhoon announced yesterday is already to the N.W. of Manila; at present it seems to be weak and likely to incline to the W., as did the previous one.

Note by the Government Astronomer.-This Depression appears to be much larger and more intense than the previous one. It is also travelling more rapidly.

We have also received similar telegrams from the Harbour Master.

ORDER OF SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL. -4TH SUNDAY AVIER TRINITY.

Matine :- Venite, Alcock ; Psalms, 30 Hayes 31 Matthews; Te Deum, Dykes; Benedictus, Barnby; Anthem, As pants the heart' (Mendelssohn) Kyrie, No. 7; Hymn, 193; Offertory

Evensong :- Psalms, 32 Turle, 33 Tallis, 34 Reinbault : Magnificat & Nunc Dimittis, Parisian Tones; Authem, (1st days ago. June); Hymn, 289 & 31.

H.B.M.S. gunboat Linuet left here this fully completed a piece of work which afternoon for Tientsin.

Quinhon to-day.

MESSES. Butterfield & Swire inform us trip, and injured herself extensively. After that the O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Patrochus, lying under water some time, she was afternoon, for this post,

WE hear that Mr F. W. White, Commissioner of Customs, returned from leave, proceeds to Pakhol to relieve Mr Kopsch, transferred to Ningpo.

Macao for Canton on Monday morning, the | to be taken off and straightened, all the 7th instant, at 8.30, and will continue run- | coiling an | 'tween deck planking had to be ning between Macao and Canton until lifted and renewed, and her entire cabin further notice.

THE tiger skin which was seen in the hands | had to be taken to pieces and thoroughly of a peasant woman by an Inspector of Po- cleaned and overhauled. In addition to lice cannot have been the outer garment of this, the whole ship was thoroughly overthe animal which has so consistently refused | hauled, and this line-shaped powerful to have an interview with our Hongkong steamer is now as good as new. The resports. Two nights ago, a stalwart Sikh, pairs and overhaul have been made with while at Shek O. saw, or imagined he saw, | great expedition, and every credit is due to his Majesty stealthily moving along the hills | those connected with the work. Mr Thompice that vicinity. The Sikh discharged a son, the Superintending engineer of the firm couple of bullets at His Royal Highness, to which the steamer belongs, Messrs Racwho thereafter quietly disappeared, appa- burn and Verel, of Glasgow, came out specirently unhart. Cannot some one take tiger ally from home to supervise the work, and hunting fever and let us know the hest or | we believe he is in every way satisfied. The the worst of this distressingly provoking repairs cost \$42,000.

We observe that workmen are busy crecting a scaffolding round the buildings at the

made on the Victoria Dispensary buildings, the Dispensary business will be carried on in the shop in Bank buildings at the corner of Wyndham Street and Queen's Road.

be made out, it seems that one of the workbourer who was sick. The Indian watch- several very successful runs to Macao, and he rises, at seven celebrates mass, after morning. man, Sheik Ressen by name, who was at the lass altogether proved herself a credit both

and another having his arm grazed. Peace o'clock in the evening. was ultimately restored, and the Indian and that he was innocently sitting cooling Bill having for its object a reform of the himself when the watchman, who was three cheongs from him, suddenly pointed his re-

out doing much damage. He was able to appear and give ovidence at the Magistracy to-day. The case was adjourned, until Monday, a subpoena being ordered to be served on Dr. Wharry in the meantime.

YESTERDAY afternoon, one of the best known of the older residents of this colony, THE Manila Comercio says that an agree- able to include within the walls of his Mr William Bolton Spratt, departed life, at the age of 47 years. It is over twenty years now since Mr Spratt landed here, and from that time up till two years ago he was intimately associated with everything connected with the shipping interests of this nally a joiner by trade, and when he landed The barque Ellen went to Kowloon Dock mas Hunt & Co., the then owners of the Whampoa Docks, as foreman carpenter in docks had become the property of the Union Dock Company, Mr Spratt joined the staff employed at the Kowloon Dock establish- ing the trip to Manila. ment, then much smaller than it is now. Some time afterwards, he, in partnership ONE of the most interesting objects to the trade, other Provinces should be forbidden structing the present Cosmopolitan Dock, at Sam Shui Po. This concern, as most shows it is not wise to take such things for residents know, was afterwards purchased from the Company which had been promoted to work it, for the sum of \$500,000. It is now a valuable and profitable branch of the present Dock Company's premises. After the sale of this property Mr Spratt ceased to take an active interest in shipbuilding. Two years ago he went home to America, of which he was a subject, for the benefit of his health, but the trip did not seem to do him much good. His daughter arrived by the Oceanic from America a few

should add much to their already excellent reputation. In the early part of this year, THE French gunboat Parseval arrived from it will be reinembered, the splendil new steamer Iolani ran ashore on a rock in the Philippine islands, while on her maiden ly patched up, came over here, and passed into the hards of the Dock Company, whose employes have been at work her for over three months. An idea of the magnitude of the damage done to the ship may be formed when it is stated that no less than 130 plates had to be taken out of her THE S. S. China will leave this for Macad bottom, a large number of these having to fittings and upholstery, sails and rigging had also to be renewed, while the engines

THE tow steamer Milton which has commenced to ply between here and Macao for the enterprising firm of Messrs Blackhead foot of Pedder's Street which have recently & Co., is a tight little craft of 135 feet in Matheson & Co., with the view, we pre- of hold. She is a two decked, twin screw to adapt them for Messrs Jardine's busi- teak planking, and she is driven at the ness. The block, we believe, extends from rate of 2 knots an hour by a single surface vacated by Megsrg Blackhead & Co., to hull was constructed at Yau-ma Ti by a Pedder's Street, and from the Praya to the Chinese boat builder under the immediate back of the Post Office. It is intended direction and supervision of Mr J. H. proudly stepped back into the Opera House. to construct a narrow lane between the Smith, the energetic and popular resident mean draft of 8 feet 6 inches of water when During the alterations which are to be fully laden, and can accommodate 3 first third class. The first class passengers are little house on the after part of the upper, or awning, deck, the second class in the ABOUT six o'clock yesterday evening a row house on the lower deck aft, and the in which a revolves was fired, occurred at remainder on the lower deck. Accommoda-Quarry Bay Sugar Refinery. So far as can tion is provided for Captain Krutzwig, who commands the vessel, beside the man employed in the refinery had endea- wheel-house, forward on the upper deck, voured to re-cuter the works after working while the crew are quartered below hours with some conges for a follow las forward. The Millon has already made than any Sovereign in Europe :- At six of the German Club was on again this than other crafts, perhaps; they needed some part of his body, and to return with a

scuffle enaued in which the congee was cither, built her. In the meantime she leaves willingly or accidentally spilled, and then a Hongkong every day, with the exception of number of other workmen rushed to the Sunday, at 8 o'clock in the morning, and assistance of their countryman. The Indian Macao at three o'clock in the afternoon thereupon drew out his royolver and fired but these hours are likely soon to be three times, one man being shot in close altered. On Sunday she leaves here at 8 proximity to the lower part of the spine, o'clock in the morning, and Macao at

watchman has been arrested and charged The term 'young ladies,' as designating a with assault by the Chinaman shot in the class, is decidedly out of fashion. Except back. The latter declares there was no row, to their inferiors, they are spoken of always as 'girls.' The words 'papa' and 'mamma, accented on the last syllable, have only come into use in the last twenty yours.

He was then taken to the Hospital, but he York, which is attracting much attention. does not seem to be much hurt, the bullet It is the vapour of bisulphide of carbon, same temperature at which water is con- are translated for him. At 9.30 he porverted into steam, viz., 212deg., is appro- forms his evening devotions, and at ten ximately as three to two, compared with partakes of his supper, consisting of soup water vapour. Moreover, its volume in an ogg, and some salad. Then he withcreases with increasing heat, whereas that draws into his private room.' The Pope of ordinary steam decreases; and it is said is said to have been in former years pasto be more completely under control than signately fond of hunting and the study of

ment has been signed between the Government of Mexico and the Pacific S. S. Navigation Company of Mexico for the establishment of a line of steamers to the East. which will touch at the different ports in the Pacific, Japan, China, (Hongkong & three years more. Peking red tribute cop-Colony. We believe Mr Spratt was origi- Canton), and will call at Manila as the per and copper used in other provincial last port. The steamers will be of 2,000 tons capacity, and the line will be inaugurahere he entered the employ of Messrs Tho. ted in July. If the company finds it difficult The miners are allowed to sell one quarter trade will be carried through Hongkonz by steamers of smaller size, but at least of 500 the yard at Wanchai. Later on, after the tons carrying capacity. The Company's their private operations, but to tax each steamers will make twelve round voyages 100 catties of red copper Tis. 1 plus Tis. per annum. The subsidy for a round voyage will be \$19,000, or \$18,000 not includ-

harmless. But an incident has recently occurred at Boston, United States, which granted. The water supply of that city high as Tis. 19. The Governor T'ang Kiung had become contaminated to a very serious degree, and grow very disagreeable, both in smell and taste. Moreover, chemical analysis proved it actually contained a large percentage of albuminoid ammonia, and increased rapidly if the water was allowed to stand some time. What could have caused such a serious interference? An examination of one of the large storage basins soon revealed the delinquent, which was nothing else than an immense crop of fresh-water sponges, found growing densaly on the side and the bottoms. The decom position of these lowly-organized animals had infected the drinking water; and any one who has had to deal with specimens of the fresh-water sponge, and who knows how badly they smell, will understand how THE local Dock Company have just successnauseous water affected by them must be As soon as the tank was cleared of them the water was all right again.

niscenses one has just published, relates negotiations. In feigned capture, after the Deputy Grand is the hidden enemy of gentleman had two brand-new £5 notes, an amusing anecdote of a rencontre with the three days, the bridegroom and bride return M. Scribe's 'he proudly advances en ram- envelope. But these were not used, as present German Emperor, then only King with a sheep and wine to do obeisance to pant,' a passage which Scribe appears to Mr Cumberland became too exhausted of Prussia. In Baden-Baden for the first the bride's parents. time, knowing little of the language, Madame Olympe was one day trying in vain from London, left Singapore yesterday again floated, and, after being temporari- to settle the fare of her flacre driver to both their satisfaction, when an elderly gentle-Madame is not conversant with German. May Iask how long you have had the carnarrator. 'I could not help noticing that the coachman was nervously twisting his The hat about in his hand. My friendly ally next inquired how much pour boire I meant to give. 'Two francs.' 'That, is far too much, answered he, seriously; one has at 5.30 p.m. to-morrow, the 6th instant; be renewed. Two lengths of her keel had no right to throw money away.' 'Are you stingy, said I, smilingly, and with other people's money?' 'Stingy! no, indeed, but saving, and people thank me for it.' was a concert in the Kursaal that evening. The King of Prassia, the Hanoverian Royal pair, and the Prince of Wales were there. Suddenly the King of Prussia came up me. 'Well, Madame, do you not think now that I have a right to be saving, seeing that the money I spend is my subjects? It was his Majesty who had settled with the driver.

A CORRESPONDENT in New York writes :-The Patti farewell on this side of the silver streak had a hollow glitter like an iridescent bubble. The performance of 'Semiramide' was in itself one of the most brilliant of a long and vexed operatic season. The demeanour of the audience was hypocritical, effusive, and loud. You would have thought they were having their heart-strings snapped by Patti's departure. But Patti was most sacred emotions. Everybody wanted to kiss her for her mother. Everybody conhand on her heart, her voice trembled, she those we say at parting. It seemed like one of the baskets that filled the wings, she prize tomate. I thrilled with pride. Some of its carnation got into my cheeks as There was a dim suspicion in my mind that. this ought to be the happiest moment of ment, too. 'Where did you get it?' I asked. Ah. Patti, me boy. A pricelsss class passengers, 30 second class and 260 souvenir!' Then I met Goldstein. He had another. So did Rosenbaum. Rothschild, and Fred Rullman, and Jacobwhere there is a loose tile in the floor, and with Chakhan]. lifting that up I buried my rose.

> HERE is the very latest account of the pope's day's work, taken from the Girmania, the organ of the German Ultramontanes, which ought to know what goes on at the Vatican. Leo XIII., it asserts. is a busy man, who perhaps works harder is summoned for having assaulted a bar boy having spent some time in contemplation. After mass follows a period of prayer and took the charge when Prior brought com- disappeared. It was usual, in many lands, was to relieve pain and not to produce it, signification.

are attended to, and at eleven the public drunk. audiences are held. The Pope receives the Bishops and Ambassadors, the pilgrims of all classes and countries. Then at 12.30 he takes a walk in the gardens of the Vatican, enerally accompanied by a prelate and two of the guard. Monsigner Boccali, his complainant. private secretary and friend, is generally his companion. In case of inclement weather or indisposition, Leo XIII. drives through the grounds in a carriage which has been specially built for the purpose. The Pope dines at two o'clock; his midday meal lasts not longer than half an hour, and is very frugal, consisting in one kind of meat, two dishes of vegetables, some fruit, and by the doctor's orders a glass of claret. After a short rest, the Pope works in his private study till 4.30, when he receives the prefects and secretaries of the volver at him and fired, knocking him down. A new motive power is in operation in New different congregations, with whom he discusses the affairs of the Church. The papers from different countries are brought to him at eight o'clock; the French and Itahaving apparently glanced off the bone with- which can be employed instead of steam. lian papers he reads himself; interesting It boils at 118deg, and its volume at the articles from English and German papers

nature, but for this he has now no time.

His love of literature and poetry he is still

CHINESE NOTES. The 10% tax [課] on the total out put of Yün Nan copper is to be suspended for mints absorb 2,000,000 catties a year. for the steamers to touch at Manila, the of this-i.e. 500,000 catties - themselves. or struck. Ultimately the original dis-It is now proposed to put no such limit on 050 likin. White copper only used in Yun Nan, (i.e. not used for coining), to pay Tls. 2 and Tls. 1. In order to encourage the with Mr Emmanuel, started a yard at Wan- naturalist is, writes a correspondent, the to tax copper en route. The object is to chai, and, this business prospering, he sub- fresh-water sponge, and hitherto, I dare- set Yun Nan on her own financial legs sequently embarked in the work of con- say, it has been regarded as one of the most [ 4 1 1 1]. At present the Government price is still from Tls. 6 to Tls. 8 the picul, whilst the trade price runs as

> levies are now guarding the Yun Nan There is an interesting leading article in the Shen Pao inveighing against 'marriage by capture ' in Kiang Su [ , 所代製] The writer of it is evidently ignorant that he is adding valuable testimony to the numerous proofs that capture has almost everywhere been the prelude to marriage. He explains that marriage by capture still exists in two forms. One, feigned capture, concerted by the relatives on both sides, in order to save expense, and to which only a feigned resistance is made. Secondly, violent capture, either on impulse, or be-MADAME Olympe Audouard, in the 'Remi- because of some dispute in the marriage | charged with treason and atheism, and that | for Mr Cumberland's experiment. One

> the French are said by the Shen Pao to use man, passing by, came to her aid. I see posioned arrows \$\frac{1}{2}\$. A weapon called combined with all the hostile daring and only did a bold person make this sugges. the is also mentioned—probably the illustrious poets, Pindar and M. Scribe. should be cotton-wooled in the same manner. riage? 'Upon my telling him, relates the blow pipe' of Chinese Notes, also known as At home any one may be a Freemason, Mr Cumberland, however, objected to these

Tumet Mongels [Mayers No. 511] settled in Freemason. The secret orgics of the craft | persons' thoughts under certain conditions; North Shan Si. During the Ming Dynasty (which the Pope probably thinks resemble | not abstract thoughts, mind you, that is the Chakhar [No. 527] rebel 林 月 漢 would have annihilated the Tumets, who, tured with an accompaniment of music by ly and earnestly on a given object, I claim however, saved themselves by sulmitting Offenbach, and cannibalism on those occa- that the thought is conveyed to any person [後篇] to the Chakhan [No. 595]. The Manchu Chief known as the Emperor 天 膜 broke the Chakhars' power and Lin Tanhan fled westwards, on which the Tomets doubtless, Masonry is not the same thing | Some subjects are not sufficiently sensitive. were given back their old pastures in Shan Si, and also the Ming dignity of 順義 The two a who had made submission were placed under two local Captains. general, afterwards changed to one, afterwards again changed to one sent from Peking. These Tumets are settled in the seven be subordinate to the toatai at Kwei-hwa, and 70 or 80 % of them live on the rents obtained from Chinese, who are not allowed to purchase the pasture approno better off. She coquetted with all the printion. The Governor wishes to bring the Chinese population under a municipal sidered it a feather in his cap to go and say registry [ \*\* \*\* ], a 'state system' as disgood-bye. I did it myself. There were 200 | tinguished from the present 'territory sysof us on the stage at once. She put her tem, [ ], which is akin to the Monbecome the property of Messrs Jardine, length, 22 feet in breadth and 9 feet depth shook a two-carat tear from her left eye- gol system called Ek T. The Mongol The saddest words in life, she said, are chiefs have a joint jurisdiction [ sume, of making the alterations necessary steamer, composed of hardwood frames and tearing her heart out to give up dear, dear in matters affecting Mongo-Chinese inter- a corruption of the word maisterie, or all your thoughts upon the object. The America. She could not trust herself to ests, and the peace is preserved by the mastery; but the change is significant. | chairman did as he was bid, and apparently speak more, and seizing a red, red rose from Manchu high officers at Kwei-hwa. These the Western side of the premises lately condensing engine of 35 horse power. Her poked it into my buttonhole and fled. It both object to the Governor's innovations. had no better way of keeping the secrets of white silk handkerchisf, he took the subwas a very large rose-about the size of a The Chakhar Mongols under the three of North Chih-Li, subordinate to the taotas at Hu-pei K'ou, were placed under 8 Ban- value which he could not possibly patent books and papers. He stopped short sudners on the conquest of China by the Man-Victoria Dispensary and Mr. Lammert's head of Mesars Blackhead & Co. She has my life. Then I met Heidelberger. He chus, The Chinese East of Kirinand North of he went partners would therefore devise gentleman standing with his back to the store, with the object of procuring more a carrying capacity of 4,500 piculs, with a had a bigger rose than mine. He was step- are registered under rude contemporary substitutes for patent mantel-piece, tore off the bandage, and ping around as if it was his proudest mo- the municipal system. The Governor says the Tumets have occupied their present a | tarritory for 2,000 years. About 20 to 30 % still live a nomadic life or farm on their provided for in a neat and commodious son. Then I went down in the lower crypt own account. [Do not confuse Chakhar

> Police Intelligence. (Before E. Mackean, Esq.) Saturday, July 5.

THE ALLEGED ASSAULT BY A POLICE

gate would not allow the man to enter. A to those who planned and to th

In answer to Prior, Duncan said Prior was sober when he. Duncan, went in charge Prior denied that he was drunk; when he appeared in the charge room, he was excited by the struggle he had had with the

The case was remanded.

ALLEGED THEFT FROM A FOREIGN HOUSE. -Tam Afu, servant boy, and Leong Ahing, house coolie, were charged by Mr William Griffith Humphreys, with having stolen 10 first defendant, in addition, was accused of stealing ten towels and fifteen pieces of sample goods, on the 4th instant.

Mr Humphreys said he received information on the 4th instant that some penknives were missing. This he found to be correct. Nobody had access to the place at night, and the prisoners were the only persous who occupied it, and he suspected them. On searching first defendant's box ten towels and 15 pieces of sample goods were found. These must have been taken away at various times. Inspector Quincoy said he scarched first

defendant's box and found the towels and goods. He examined the place, and found nothing tampered with. First defendant admitted taking the towels. The case was remanded until next Fri-

day, presumably to give the Police an opportunity of hunting for the penknives.

DISTURBANCE AT ABERDEEN. About eight o'clock yesterday evening, a disturbance arose just outside Aberdeen Police Station. A lukong went out, saw two men quarrelling, and arrested them. He was then set upon by a number of onlookers. Assistance was called in, but before the row ceased the two men first arrested got off, and three policemen were either kicked turbers and two other men, ringloaders, were arrested and quiet restored. This morning, each of the four men arrested was fined \$1, or seven days' hard labour, and ordered to give \$10 personal recognizance to keep the peace for six months.

> THE 'DAILY NEWS' ON FREEMASONRY.

at Peterborough next Wednesday 7th May, over which Lord Carnarvon, as Pro Grand Master, will preside. He will be supported by men of social and other distinction, including persons as variously representative as the Bishop of Peterborough, Lord John Manners, and Mr W. E. Forster. mentions incidentally that 20 😩 extra These names suggest a smile at the terms and purport of the Pope's recent Encyclical against Freemasonry. The Pope probably knows his own business best. We may presume that he thinks he has some reason for 'those great curses that he spoke.' us in England this traditional animosity appears scarcely worthy of the Holy Catholic Churchi, Roman and Apostolic. There is plenty of bigger game in the way of wickedness going than the occasional noisiness of Freemasons on the homeward path. We do not find that Freemasons in MUSCLE-READING BY MR. STUART the ordinary paths of life are desperate. scoret, and revengeful. The Freemason. his person. The eye of infallibility knows Gazette. that the songs of the Apollo Lodge are

masons are a secret society, therefore, in toto. argues the Pontiff, it is about time to give them their ac ustomed little encyclical

secret history of the Masonic past. It is stood at one end, braced himself up, looked orthodox to believe that Freemasons des- round, and opened the ball by asking Mr cend from a Sidonian Guild, organized Oscar Wilde to be operated upon. Now there is little doubt that all these look round the room, and think of some builders had their own secrets. We still object, which it is possible to get it. Don't speak of the 'art and mystery' of any try to resist any attempt to think of it, but handicraft. The word mystery is probably surrender yourself entirely, concentrating In times past all arts were shrouded in | concentrated his thoughts. Mr Cumbermystery. The trades unionism of the time land's eyes having been bandaged with a the trade to themselves. Consider the ject's left hand into his own, put it on his state of the first man who learned how to forehead, and darted across the room, going work iron. He had a secret of immense first to a shelf on which were a number of owing to the absence of patent laws at that | donly, darted back, mide another circuit of early period. He and those with whom the room, and halted suddenly before a laws. They would work a forge as secretly pointed to the glasses of the well-known as a secret still in the Highlands. They London correspondent of the New Freit would set about appalling tales of spiritual | Presse. 'Right,' said the subject. 'Now. workmen, gnomes, and kobolds, Telchines, why did take you to the book shelves before and the Cabiri. When a new partner was going to the eyeglasses? 'Well,' confessto keep the process dark by the most swful thought of a Gazetter which caught my oaths then invented. Probably he would eye. The glasses were a second thought. be made to face ordeals of a sort appalling This was over in a few seconds, thirty, to persons who did not know any better. perhaps, and was quitesatisfactory. It may We see all this parade of mystery and much , be worth nothing that Mr Cumberland almummery of magic and religion still active, | ways desires his aubject to think of the for example, in South America. When direction or the route to the article thought 100. the tribal sorcerer is preparing oursi or of rather than the article itself. 'I now curari, the arrow poison, he surrounds propose, said Mr Camberland, to discohimself with all the mystic terrors at his ver the seat of pain in one of you. I won-The case in which Police Constable Prior | disposal. No doubt Masons once had mys. | der whether Mr Ernest Hart would consent teries of their own, like other crafts. More to go out of the room, to stick a pin in

is inherited by modern Freemasons.

A great Maronic function will take place of Æschines, like any old negro woman or subject; 'you have read my thoughts American squaw, daubed the initiate over admirably. with white clay. All these things are part | = of the famed mysteries of Greece, and part of the mysteries of the rudest barbarians. No noble secret was concealed or revealed in the original form of these rites, but the age of full manhood or womanhood was consecrated, or the alventures of some foolish deity were acted in a mystery play. Doubtless later Greece, about the time of Pindar, lent something of her own nobility to the ceremonies of the Eleusinia. But. in the beginning, the mysteries concenled nothing worth knowing, any more than the

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arcana of our own Masonry are believed to

hide important truths, good or evil.

Mr Stuart Cumberland, after achieving as the Pope beholds him in his mind's eye, a great success in Vienna and Paris, gave probably wears a brigand's hat, a visor, a several very interesting experiments in the sealskin coat with all the pockets full of presence of a representative company invited dynamite, and a dagger concealed about to meet him at the office of the Pall Mall

About five o'clock everything was ready | Severeigns, ... society. Like the serpent in a drama of fresh from the Bank, and sealed up in an have borrowed from a passage in which during the hour and a half that the sitting Pindar says that three scrpents crawled lasted. Lying on a shelf was a bundle of The Miso-tsz troops now engaged against against a city, and one of them, with a cry, cotton wool with which it was suggested leaped over the wall. The ideal Freemason that Mr Cumberland's sharp ears should be of the Pope has all the crawling subtlety, stuffed and his piercing eyes padded. Not agility possessed by the serpents of these tion, but he actually asked that the subject from 'Britain's pride and Cambria's hope ' suggestions as unnecessary precautions, (as an old writer fondly designates an illus- | although so far as I am concerned I don't trious personage), to the unambitious think it would make any difference.' Now, The Governor Chang Chih-tung gives grocer, the conscientious plumber, and the I do not profess,' said Mr Camberland, 'to same interesting information about the artistic though dilatory bookbinder. It is give any illustrations of the supernatural. not even a 'fast' thing in England to be a I simply claim that it is possible to read the banquets of Gillies de Retz) are not impossible, absolutely impossible. If a per really dishevelled. Children are not tor- son will concentrate his or her mind entiresions is quite obsolete. The Lodges of Bri- of sufficient quickness of perception by the tish Freemasonry are the abodes of the action of the physical system, which, social virtues, a benevolent kind of brotherly | maintain, is the only channel through which feeling prevails, and sends round the hat in thought can possibly be conveyed. Of favour of brethren distressed. In Italy, course there is a percentage of failures. as our harmless secret friendly society. Everything depends on the absolute con-Anything secret in Italy is traditionally centration of the subject, and the absolute detested by persons in power. A secret giving up of oneself to the conditions of the society of the most innocent appearance experiment.' Some professors of the art might be the cloak of Carbonari or other pretend to the power of thought-reading political conspirators. The Church, like without contact, but that Mr Cumberland Lord Beaconsfield, believes in secret so- says is quite impossible-a doctrine which cieties, believes and trembles. The Free- Colonel Olcott, who was present, denied

> posed the audience, all of whom were seat-We shall not attempt to unravel the ed round the room. Mr Cumberland about the time of the building of Solomon's | Wilde, however, shook his head, and de- A Typhoon passed last night over Luzon. Temple. A more distant source may be clared that he was not a good subject. Mr It came from ESE and is according to a sought in the erection of the Tower of Cumberland looked round once more, and telegram from Manila travelling towards Babel. The mediaval companies of Ma- his eyes-fell on the face of the chairman, W., as the preceding depression. It sons, the builders of the famous minters, who was quite ready. 'A good subject,' appears to be much more intense than its also appear among the fathers of the craft. said Mr Cumberland. Now, Sir, please predecessor. taken into the business he would be sworn; ed he, 'I must tell you that I had first

Some thirty ladies and gentleman com-

gregations and his other correspondence the bar boy because he thought Prior was | walls of a new house, or to slay a child, the pin far in-up to the head, for instance. and bury him beneath the threshold. The After a little pleasant trifling, Mr Carnegie, idea was that the ghost of the dead would the famous American millionaire, and proguard the building, as it is still supposed prietor of English newspapers, declared, to do in Roumania. Skeletons found with a trace of melancholy pleasure in his within the walls of very ancient structures | voice, that he had a pain ready made, and bear uncanny witness to the wide diffusion | should be only too happy to place it at Mr. of this practice. Clearly a trade which had Cumberland's disposal. That is, if he could such arts needed a good deal of mystery. find it. The musclereader gladly assented. Mystery the early Masons doubtless pos- again resumed the white silk fillet, and sessed, though we are as far as possible stood up to Mr Carnegie. Mr Cumberfrom hinting that any such dark knowledge land's hands traversed his subject from top to toe, running nervously down, and eventu-'In my opinion,' says Socrates, 'they ally stopping at the finger. 'The finger it who established the mysteries, however is, said Mr Carnegie, as he took his seat dozens of penkuives, value 835; and the they were, knew much of human nature.' amid applause. After a short rest, up spoke Secretes, like Angelica in the 'Rose and the gallant Cumberland again. 'Professor the Ring, 'was 'always right.' The people Ray Lankester, you and I are old friends. who established the mysteries knew a great Will you be my next subject?' Professor deal of human nature. Freemasonry grati- Ray Lankester smiled grimly and said fies the natural human love of having and 'Well, you won't be successful with me. I keeping a secret. You cannot watch know. If you make up your mind that children at play for an hour but you will shan't do anything, I admit that my experisee three or four of them conspiring in a ment will be useless." I will give you corner. They come out looking 'arcane' every chance,' said the Professor gaily, (Thomas Taylor, the Platonist, is responsi- Mr Cumberland left the room, and a pin ble for the word) and satisfied, as if they was fastened in the lapel of Mr Aaron had some deep eseteric knowledge to Watson's coat. Mr Cumberland was sumthemselves. The other children observe moned, blindfolded, and took Mr Ray this, and are maddened by curiosity and Lankester's hand, dragging him here, pull-Then the little ones who first club- ing him there, with much vigour. After a bed together say, 'We have a secret,' and couple of minutes he evinced an affection bear themselves proudly. This childish for an easy-chair, which he thought containdelight in a secret is at the bottom of all ed the secreted pin. Kneeling down, he mysteries and Masonries. How many men, probed and poked unavailingly until at last from Arnobius and Olemens to Crouser and it was evident that the muscular indications Lobeck, have dashed their intellects against of the subject were not sufficiently violent. the mysteries of ancient Greece, trying to Mr Oscar Wilde, who had seen where the penetrate their arcana | How numerous pin (was hidden, then took Professor Ray are they who have tried to unriddle the Lankester's place, and Mr Cumberland spell of Konxompax, and asked what was struck a bee-line and had the pin in no in the sacred ark, or what the meaning of time at all. 'Professor Ray Lankester's the mystic cakes! Lobeck came pretty individuality is too great, said Mr Cumbernear hitting on the great secret—that there land, resting after his labour, 'If I don't was not any secret at all. He revealed the | do a thing immediately I can't do it at all. probability that there was next to nothing Mr Cumberland's pulse was not beating to conceal. He more than anticipated, very fast, lie admitted. At one sitting in what Maury has perhaps seen more clearly, Vienna it reached 175 beats in the minute. the discovery that the Greek mysteries were when he fainted. A lady, who was the the relics of savage nummeries, meaning- next subject for Mr Cumberland's experiless, cruel, obscene. When the initiate of ment, was asked to think of some Dionysus waved serpents about their heads, object in the room, and to give it they did what Red Indians do, only they mentally to the audience. The thoughtused tame, fangless reptiles, not rattle- reader and the lady went round the circle anakes. When the Sparians scourged boys deliborately and asdately. Suddenly they before the face of Artemis Orthia they did stopped, Mr Cumberland's hand was stretwhat Apaches do, and Kaffirs, and Austra- ched forth, he seized a little vase of lian blacks. When the Greeks whirled rhododendrons from a number of others. little slats of wood in their mysteries to | 'Right,' said his subject. 'Now you have make a roaring noise, and warn away the to give it to some one.' He groped round profane, they acted as Maoris act, and once or twice, and then handed it to a lady Zunis Kamilaroi, and Kurnai. The mother in the audience. 'Right again,' said his

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In London there is not even a cobbler but has a piano in his back parlour. If people live in apartments here as they do in Paris, Bedlam, Colnoy Hatch, and all the other madhouses would never contain the pianos would send them. As it is, everybody has his house, and the evil is not so

Every woman, I might say without excoption, plays the pinno; but in a private room I have never heard a lady or a young girl play well enough to afford pleasure to a serious amateur. They play without the least expression. One of my compatriots and friends, a distinguished professor and composer, who teaches this instrument of torture in a great London ladies' college, complained one day to the head-mistress that his pupils played without any feeling or expression. Monsieur, answered the lady with a kind smile, 'I did not engage you to teach sentiment to my

It is the same with singing. You sometimes come across pretty voices, but they make no impression upon you; it is nothing but noise. Not a movement, not a muscle of the face relaxes; it is a mechanical action of the vocal chords, a mere physical pheno-

 I was one evening in a drawing-room. young lady who had travelled in Italy and studied music there, was asked to sing. She sang, and indeed with a good deal of taste, the pretty song by Arthur Sullivan : 'Let me dream again.'

'That young lady sings very woll;' I said to a lady at my side. 'Yo-os,' she replied, with a little pout of scorn; but how affected she is, rolling her eyes, and putting her hand to heart All those gesticulations are highly ridiculous and very improper. One would think she

was an actress. The English, who know what awaits them in the drawing-room, have such an appreciation for chamber music, that the very sound of the piane is the signal for general conversation. When the piece is finished, the company leave off talking, and reward the amateur with a 'Thank you.'

Punch, who knows them, represents Herr Bogulobuffski in the act of executing a piece on the pianoforte. Seeing that everybody is engaged in conversation, he pauses, and says to the mistress of the house : 'I hope I am not in the way, and that I do not

disturb conversation. 'Oh! not at all,' replies Mrs Ponsonby de Tomkyns; 'pray go on. Public concerts, on the other hand, are excellent, and always well attended. the greatest singers in the world can be Crystal Palace is perfection. The popular

heard in London. The orchestra of the concerts of classical music at St. James's | ports. Hall, the Richter concerts, those at the Albert Hall, Covent Garden, the Floral Hall during the season, cannot be surpassed. There you can hear Patti, Nilson, Albani, Joachim, Rubinstein, Charles Halle, Faure, Nicolini, etc. 'J'en passe et des meilleurs.'

John Bull is very attentive at such concerts. He listens with all his car, You wonder why he does not listen to Herr Bogulobufiski in Mrs Ponsonby de Tomkyns's drawing-room. The reason is that John is charged a guinea or half-a-guinea at these public concerts, and that he only really appreciates that which he has paid

for, and paid-for properly.

The oratorio-flourishes in England: it is the music for which John Bull shows predilection. He likes these biblical subjects set to music. Look at him in his stall (profanation! I should say in his pew); he does not move, his eyes are closed that he may hear the better, just as he closes thom when he listens to a sermon. He is happy! it looks as if he had come to church. The oratorio is for him a foretaste of the delights that await him in the next world. At the Crystal Palace, he gets his oratorio with choruses of five thousand voices. The more there are the better he is pleased. 'Oh!' exclaimed an Englishman who sat near me at one of these divine services, 'the Italians are all very well, but for oratorio you must have English singers, you know.' I am quite of his opinion, just as to make pastry you must have paste. It is true that some of these cratorios contain splendid passages, and that a great number of them were written by such men as Havdn, Handel, Bach, and Mendelssohn. But it is a curious fact that most of them were composed in England by these great

masters; perhaps under the influence of the spleen; it is Thames fog set to music. An oratorio lasts from three hours to three hours and a half. In the country, at the great musical festivals of Bristol, Hereford, Leeds, and Birmingham, oratorios are given every day for a whole week, beginning with the Creation, and so on through the list : Abraham, Joseph, \* Elijah, Judas, Maccabæus, the Messiah, the Martyr of Antioch, by Arthur Sullivan, the English Offenbach, the Passion, St. Paul, etc., etc. The English will not be happy until the whole of the Bible is set to music.

" The indignation, with which Joseph rejects in B flat, the improper propositions of Mrs Potiphar, is epic!

A very self-sufficient and foolish M.P. said one day to a lady, 'I should certainly have succeeded rapidly and brilliantly if my absurd modesty---'-When the lady. interrupting him, said 'Remember the good old rule, never speak ill of the absent.

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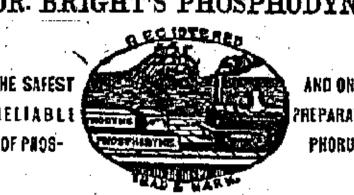
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